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1. BAHRAIN WILL BE REPRESENTED AT THE NAC BY FOREIGN MINISTER SHAIKH MOHAMMAD BIN MUBARAK AL KHALIFA. HE WILL PROBABLY BE ASSISTED BY THE BAHRAINI PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE TO THE UN, AMBASSADOR SALMAN AL-SAFAR. THEY WILL BE ARRIVING IN LIMA ON AUGUST 23 IN ORDER TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PLANNED ARAB CAUCUS AUGUST 24.

2. FOREIGN MINISTER IS REASONABLY WELL-DISPOSED TO THE USG AND IS SOMEONE WORTH CONTACTING. HE IS AN ARTICULATE AND SENSITIVE EXPONENT OF THE "MODERATE" OR "CONSERVATIVE" ARAB POSITION USUALLY IDENTIFIED WITH SAUDI ARABIA.

3. DEPARTMENT MAY WISH TO REPEAT TO LIMA MANAMA 0976 WHICH IS OUR MOST RECENT (AUGUST 19) VIEW OF THE LIKELY BAHRAINI POSITION AT THE NAC AND AT UNGA.

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4. FOREIGN MINISTER WILL NOT, HOWEVER, REPRESENT BAHRAIN

AT SPECIAL SESSION OF UNGA; THIS WILL BE DONE BY FINANCE MINISTER SAYED MAHMOOD AHMED AL-ALAWI, ASSISTED BY FINANCE MINISTRY UNDER SECRETARY IBRAHIM ABDULKARIM. THEY WILL BE ARRIVING AT UNGA ABOUT SEPT. 4 FROM WASHINGTON, DC WHERE THEY WILL ATTEND THE SEPT. 1 IMF MEETINGS. AMBASSADOR AL-SAFAR WILL RETURN TO NEW YORK FROM LIMA AND WILL THUS SERVE AS A LINK BETWEEN THE TWO DELEGATIONS. FOREIGN MINISTER WILL ARRIVE IN NEW YORK SEPT. 17 FOR THE UNGA.

5. ALL OF THESE GOB REPRESENTATIVES ARE APPROACHABLE, BUT IN OUR VIEW THERE IS NO BETTER SOURCE THAN THE FOREIGN MINISTER FOR AN APPRECIATION OF THE BAHRAINI POSITION AS WELL AS FOR ANY FURTHER LOBBYING WE MIGHT WANT TO DO.

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